## MEMORANDUM FOR DISTRIBUTION

## Subj: BANK AND CREDIT UNION RECOGNITION

Annually, the Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Navy (Financial Management and Comptroller) (OASN(FM&C)) recognizes the on-base financial institutions (bank and credit union) that provided exceptional service to military and civilian personnel during the preceding calendar year. This recognition is based on recommendations submitted by base commanders. Recommendations should provide specific examples of actions taken by the nominated on-base financial institution(s) during calendar year 2002.

Commands may nominate on-base financial institution(s) by providing justification clearly illustrating why the on-base financial institution(s) should receive this honor. We will use the following criteria to evaluate nominations:

- a. Service above and beyond normal requirements
- b. Special services provided at command request
- c. Financial education and counseling services
- d. Community support
- e. Professional attitude/financial leadership

Recommendations from your commands/activities should be received by OASN(FM&C) not later than 27 Jun 03. Recommendations should be mailed to the Office of Financial Operations, 720 Kennon Street, South East, Room 115, Washington Navy Yard, DC 20374-5025. Request widest dissemination of this request to your commands/activities with banks and/or credit unions.

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